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Title : Vector Calibration System

BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, DC 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks prior to initial examination of the application.

Amendments

I. IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 29-33, 35-40, 42-49, and 51 without prejudice.

II. IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please change the title from "Multifrequency Vector Calibration System" to --Vector Calibration System--.

The specification of the present application is substantially identical to the specification of Provisional App. No. 60/190, 226, filed March 15, 2000, benefit of which is claimed. Changes from the provisional's specification and that of the present application are indicated below in amendment form for the convenience of the Examiner.

At page 1, the first paragraph below the title has been changed from the following: